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Rabies Exposure Alert

30 Seconds PSA

County of San Bernardino Department of Public Health is issuing a rabies exposure alert for Silverwood Lake State Recreation Area in the city of Hesperia. On Labor Day, September 5, 2011 around 1:30 p.m., a bat found in the Black Oak area bathrooms (Building 10) near the marina has tested positive for rabies. Rabies is a deadly disease that can occur when people are exposed to or get bitten by an infected animal. If you or your child touched this bat, please contact the County of San Bernardino Department of Public Health at 1 (800) 722-4794, Monday – Friday, 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.

15 Seconds PSA

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